



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2001 Senate Bill 75

**Senate
Amendment 1**

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Under *current law*, a notary public may receive fees specified by statute. [s. 137.01 (9), Stats.] The general fee may not exceed \$.50 per document. (Testimony at the public hearing indicated that amount was last changed in 1955.)

Senate Bill 75 repeals the listing of specific fees for various notary public services and allows a notary public to charge a reasonable fee for any service that he or she provides in his or her capacity as a notary public. *Senate Amendment 1* provides that the fee charged by a notary public under the bill may not exceed \$5.

Senate Amendment 1 was recommended for adoption by the Senate Committee on Universities, Housing, and Government Operations by a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0.

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